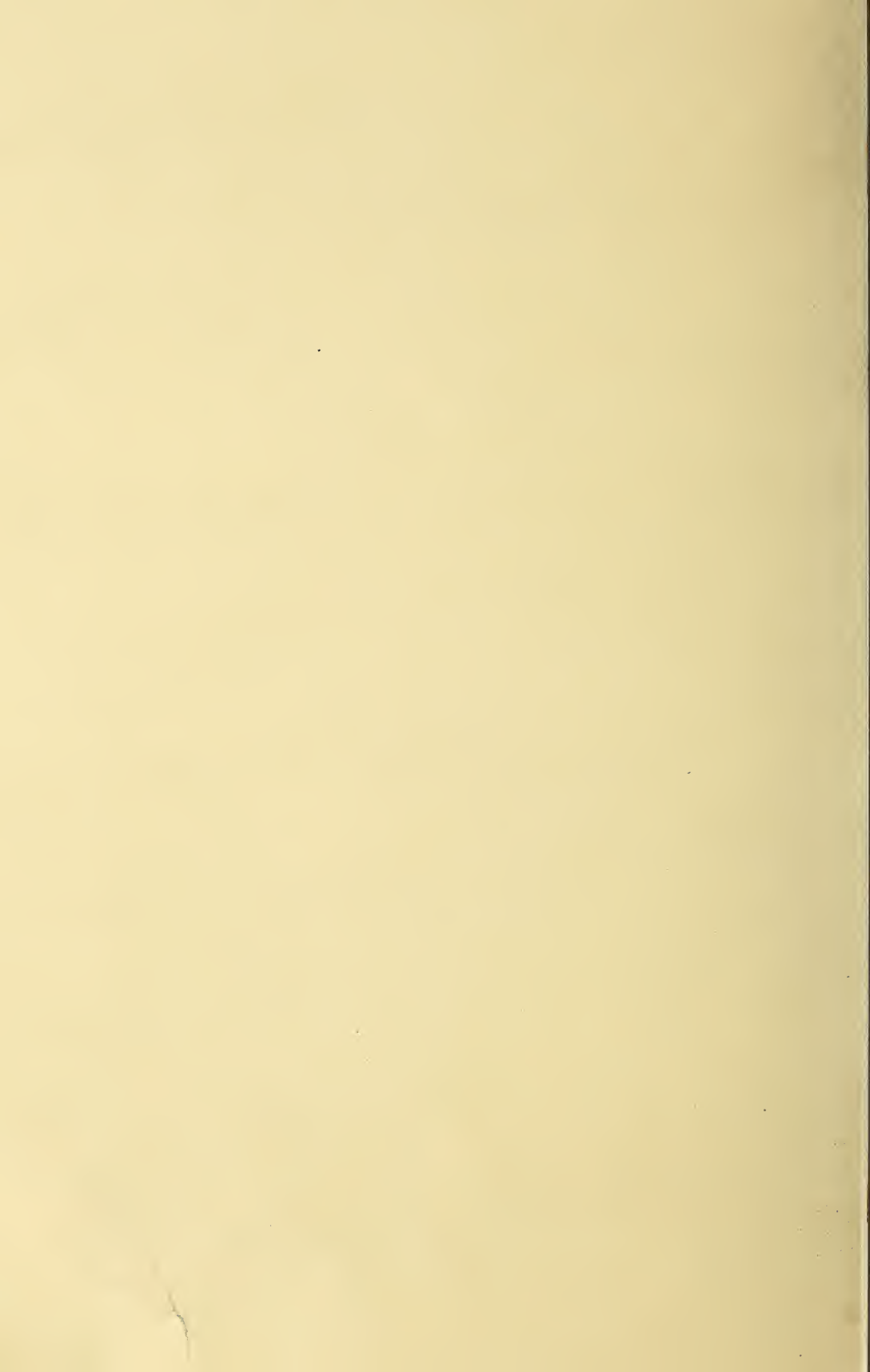


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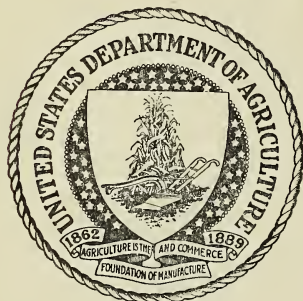
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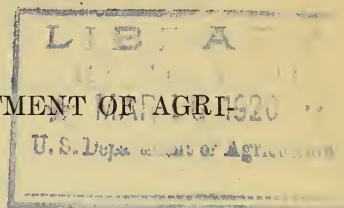
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LETTER

FROM

THE SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE,

TRANSMITTING

STATEMENT SHOWING FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 1918, THE MOTOR-PROPELLED AND HORSE-DRAWN PASSENGER-CARRYING VEHICLES AND MOTOR BOATS PURCHASED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE FOR USE OUTSIDE OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, AND THE COST OF MAINTENANCE, OPERATION, AND REPAIR OF ALL SUCH VEHICLES AND BOATS OWNED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND OPERATED OUTSIDE OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.

DECEMBER 5, 1918.—Referred to the Committee on Expenditure in the Department of Agriculture and ordered to be printed.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE,
Washington, December 2, 1918.

THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

As required by the act making appropriations for the Department of Agriculture for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1918, I have the honor to transmit herewith a statement showing, for the fiscal year 1918, the motor-propelled and horse-drawn passenger-carrying vehicles and motor boats purchased by the Department of Agriculture for use outside of the District of Columbia, and the cost of maintenance, operation, and repair of all such vehicles and boats owned by the Department of Agriculture and operated outside of the District of Columbia.

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Very respectfully,

D. F. HOUSTON, *Secretary.*

Motor-propelled and horse-drawn passenger-carrying vehicles and motor boats purchased by the Department of Agriculture during the fiscal year 1918 for use outside of the District of Columbia.

Bureau.	Vehicle or boat.	Location.	Cost.
Animal Industry	Ford roadster	Atlanta, Ga.	\$484.44
Do	do.	College Park, Md.	361.25
Do	do.	Springfield, Ill.	468.39
Do	do.	do.	468.39
Do	do.	Montgomery, Ala.	486.44
Total			2,268.91
Entomology	Ford touring car	Melrose Highlands, Mass.	360.00
Do	do.	do.	360.00
Total			720.00
Federal Horticultural Board. .	Ford touring car.	Houston, Tex.	505.08
Bureau of Markets.	do.	Chicago, Ill.	413.40
Plant Industry	do.	Powell, Wyo.	345.00
Do	do.	Belle Fourche, S. Dak.	345.00
Do	do.	Bard, Cal.	345.00
Do	do ¹	Mitchell, Nebr.	400.00
Total			1,435.00
Forest Service	Engine for launch	Tongass National Forest.	2,207.60
Do	do.	Siuslaw National Forest.	835.00
Do	Fairbanks-Morse railroad speeder.	Chugach National Forest.	508.00
Do	do.	Snoqualmie National Forest.	508.00
Do	Evenrude motor and rowboat.	Wenatchee National Forest.	129.00
Do	Mudge railroad speeder.	Medicine Bow National Forest.	345.00
Do	Equipment for launch	Tongass National Forest.	274.94
Do	Winch and chain	do.	158.25
Do	Indian motorcycle	Datil National Forest.	300.90
Do	Harley-Davidson motorcycle.	Oregon National Forest.	278.85
Do	do.	Coconino National Forest.	342.75
Do	Ford touring car.	Jornada National Forest.	692.70
Do	Columbia River type boat hull.	Siuslaw National Forest.	215.00
Do	Buda railroad speeder.	Siskiyou National Forest.	360.00
Do	Harley-Davidson motorcycle ²	Cache National Forest.	290.00
Total			7,445.99

¹ Exchanged; cost of new car \$515 less \$115 allowance on old Ford turned in.

² Exchanged; cost of new motorcycle \$390 less \$100 allowance on old Thor motorcycle turned in.

SUMMARY OF PURCHASES.

Bureau.	Cost.
Animal Industry	\$2,268.91
Entomology	720.00
Federal Horticultural Board.	505.08
Markets.	413.40
Plant Industry	1,435.00
Forest Service	7,445.99
Total	12,788.38

Cost of maintenance, operation, and repair of all motor-propelled and horse-drawn passenger-carrying vehicles and motor boats owned by the Department of Agriculture and operated outside the city of Washington during the fiscal year 1918—Continued.

Bureau.	Motor-propelled vehicle or boat.	Horse-drawn vehicle.	Location.	Cost of maintenance, operation, and repair.
Chemistry	Ford automobile		Los Angeles, Cal.	\$295.05
Entomology	do.		Wellington, Kans.	339.16
Do.	do.		Monticello, Fla.	193.24
Do.	do.		Dallas, Tex.	110.78
Do.	Chalmers automobile		Melrose Highlands, Mass.	834.42
Do.	Ford automobile		do.	399.93
Do.	do.		do.	352.86
Do.	do.		do.	742.40
Do.	do.		do.	757.66
Do.	do.		do.	409.21
Do.	do.		do.	596.06
Do.	do.		Clarksville, Tenn.	412.48
Do.	do.		Tallulah, La.	614.73
Do.	Excelsior motorcycle		Lafayette, Ind.	25.15
Do.	do.		Benton Harbor, Mich.	20.56
Do.	do.		Cleveland, Ohio.	52.09
Do.	do.		Melrose Highlands, Mass.	7.33
Do.	do.		do.	2.43
Do.	do.		do.	112.89
Do.	do.		do.	102.51
Do.	do.		do.	5.05
Do.	do.		do.	32.50
Do.	do.		Spreckels, Cal.	27.89
Do.	Indian motorcycle		Forest Grove, Oreg.	28.30
Do.	do.		Knoville, Tenn.	1.45
Do.	do.		Tempe, Ariz.	81.55
Do.	do.		do.	30.90
Do.	do.		Grand Junction, Colo.	10.52
Do.	do.		Portland, Oreg.	
Do.	do.		Roswell, N. Mex.	22.40
Do.	do.		Honolulu, Hawaii.	139.40
Do.	do.		Melrose Highlands, Mass.	25.88
Do.	do.		do.	124.93
Do.	do.		Dallas, Tex.	15.32
Do.	do.		New Orleans, La.	
Do.	do.		Miami, Fla.	91.96
Do.	do.		Hart, Mich.	17.55
Do.	do.		Alhambra, Cal.	108.83
Do.	do.		Rocky Ford, Colo.	2.35
Do.	do.		Wichita, Kans.	35.52
Do.	Yale motorcycle		Martinez, Cal.	56.03
Total				6,944.22
Office of Farm Management	Indian motorcycle		Augusta, Ga.	72.75
Biological Survey	Motor boat		Klamath Falls, Oreg.	205.81
Do.	do.		Narrows, Oreg.	23.15
Do.	Motorcycle		do.	126.70
Do.	Evinrude motor		Hinsdale, Ill.	11.75
Total				367.41
Weather Bureau	Motorcycle		Cape Henry, Va.	
Do.	Dingy		Key West, Fla.	48.94
States Relations Service	Metz automobile		Mayaguez, P. R.	11.00
Do.	Ford automobile		do.	543.39
Do.	Brooks 6-horsepower launch.		Rampart Experiment Station, Alaska.	9.77
Do.	12-horsepower launch.		Kodiak Experiment Station, Alaska.	89.36
Do.	Draft launch		Kodiak Island stock breeding and Kalsin Bay stations.	406.99
Do.		Buggy	Hawaii Experiment Station.	130.00
Total				1,192.51
Federal Horticultural Board	Ford touring car		Houston, Tex.	113.05
Markets	do.		Chicago, Ill.	168.60
Do.	do.		do.	383.24
Total				551.84

4 VEHICLES MAINTAINED BY DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE.

Cost of maintenance, operation, and repair of all motor-propelled and horse-drawn passenger-carrying vehicles and motor boats owned by the Department of Agriculture and operated outside the city of Washington during the fiscal year 1918—Continued.

Bureau.	Motor-propelled vehicle or boat.	Horse-drawn vehicle.	Location.	Cost of maintenance, operation, and repair.
Office of Public Roads and Rural Engineering.	Ford automobile.....		Field.....	\$290.03
Do.....	do.....		do.....	760.08
Do.....	do.....		do.....	422.27
Do.....	do.....		do.....	319.39
Do.....	do.....		do.....	61.60
Do.....	Winton automobile.....		do.....	40.40
Total.....				1,893.77
Animal Industry.....	Ford automobile.....		Ames, Iowa.....	368.48
Do.....	3 Ford automobiles.....		Atlanta, Ga.....	1,128.70
Do.....	Ford automobile.....		Birmingham, Ala.....	871.82
Do.....	do.....		Bismarck, N. Dak.....	420.61
Do.....	do.....		College Park, Md.....	27.52
Do.....	do.....		Columbus, Ohio.....	703.01
Do.....	4 Ford automobiles.....		Des Moines, Iowa.....	2,731.79
Do.....	Ford automobile.....		Front Royal, Va.....	348.12
Do.....	do.....		Houston, Tex.....	693.55
Do.....	3 Ford automobiles.....		Indianapolis, Ind.....	3,185.07
Do.....	2 Ford automobiles.....		Jefferson City, Mo.....	931.70
Do.....	Ford automobile.....		Lansing, Mich.....	403.70
Do.....	2 Ford automobiles.....		Lincoln, Nebr.....	1,396.50
Do.....	Ford automobile.....		Louisville, Ky.....	328.68
Do.....	2 Ford automobiles.....		Springfield, Ill.....	202.32
Do.....	do.....		Topeka, Kans.....	1,782.80
Do.....	Ford automobile.....		T in Falls, Idaho.....	774.74
Do.....	do.....		Washington, D. C.....	534.92
Do.....	Motorcycle.....		Glendale, Ariz.....	2.75
Do.....		Buggy.....	Beltsville, Md.....	22.85
Do.....		2 buggies.....	Middlebury, Vt.....	34.45
Do.....		Sleigh.....	do.....	7.90
Do.....		Buggy.....	Vienna, Va.....	17.25
Total.....				16,919.23
Plant Industry.....	Indian motorcycle.....		Arlington, Va.....	.97
Do.....	do.....		Madison, Wis.....	61.55
Do.....	do.....		Vineland, N. J.....	26.77
Do.....	do.....		Spreckels, Cal.....	45.32
Do.....	Ford automobile.....		Huntley, Mont.....	34.45
Do.....	do.....		Boise, Idaho.....	240.20
Do.....	do.....		Fallon, Nev.....	431.07
Do.....	do.....		Mitchell, Nebr.....	457.84
Do.....	do.....		North Yakima, Wash.....	664.86
Do.....	do.....		Mitchell, Nebr.....	9.45
Do.....	do.....		Montrose, Colo.....	591.42
Do.....	do.....		Rupert, Idaho.....	462.10
Do.....	do.....		Powell, Wyo.....	241.56
Do.....	do.....		Belle Fourche, S. Dak.....	33.17
Do.....	do.....		Mandan, N. Dak.....	706.72
Do.....	do.....		Indio, Cal.....	227.09
Do.....		2 runabouts.....	Arlington, Va.....	200.00
Do.....		Buggy.....	do.....	25.00
Do.....		do.....	Akron, Colo.....	15.00
Do.....		do.....	Ardmore, S. Dak.....	15.00
Do.....		2 buggies.....	Belle Fourche, S. Dak.....	33.30
Do.....		Buggy.....	Chico, Cal.....	25.00
Do.....		do.....	Crowley, La.....	150.00
Do.....		do.....	Fallon, Nev.....	16.70
Do.....		do.....	Hermiston, Oreg.....	16.70
Do.....		2 buggies.....	Huntley, Mont.....	33.30
Do.....		Buggy.....	Lawton, Okla.....	15.00
Do.....		do.....	Mandan, N. Dak.....	15.00
Do.....		Surrey.....	do.....	15.00
Do.....		do.....	Rockville, Md.....	25.00
Do.....		2 buggies.....	San Antonio, Tex.....	33.30
Do.....		Buggy.....	Scottsbluff, Nebr.....	15.00
Do.....		do.....	Woodward, Okla.....	15.00
Do.....		do.....	Yuma, Ariz.....	16.70
Total.....				4,914.54

Cost of maintenance, operation, and repair of all motor-propelled and horse-drawn passenger-carrying vehicles and motor boats owned by the Department of Agriculture and operated outside the city of Washington during the fiscal year 1918—Continued.

Bureau.	Motor-propelled vehicle or boat.	Horse-drawn vehicle.	Location.	Cost of maintenance, operation, and repair.
Forest Service.	Motorcycle		Cabinet National Forest....	\$47.19
Do.	do.		Pend Oreille National Forest.	53.71
Do.	do.		Missoula National Forest....	118.75
Do.	do.		Kootenai National Forest....	88.12
Do.	do.		Lolo National Forest....	32.50
Do.	do.		Deerlodge National Forest....	109.81
Do.	do.		Shoshone National Forest....	91.12
Do.	do.		Colorado National Forest....	56.97
Do.	do.		Gila National Forest....	19.75
Do.	do.		Datil National Forest....	351.34
Do.	do.		do.	84.50
Do.	do.		Cache National Forest....	60.00
Do.	do.		Oregon National Forest....	74.94
Do.	do.		Cascade National Forest....	94.03
Do.	do.		White Mountain National Forest.	20.29
Do.	Railroad speeder		Cabinet National Forest....	15.53
Do.	do.		Kootenai National Forest....	23.79
Do.	do.		do.	20.86
Do.	do.		do.	23.79
Do.	do.		Jefferson National Forest....	37.07
Do.	do.		Flathead National Forest....	59.97
Do.	do.		do.	6.87
Do.	do.		do.	56.78
Do.	do.		Deerlodge National Forest....	86.02
Do.	do.		do.	3.00
Do.	do.		Coeur d'Alene National Forest.	15.00
Do.	do.		do.	111.66
Do.	do.		do.	27.05
Do.	do.		Cabinet National Forest....	36.09
Do.	do.		Blackfoot National Forest....	12.60
Do.	do.		Superior National Forest....	36.00
Do.	do.		Medicine Bow National Forest.	60.17
Do.	do.		Tusayan National Forest....	110.97
Do.	do.		Targhee National Forest....	76.27
Do.	do.		Shasta National Forest....	22.97
Do.	do.		do.	23.80
Do.	do.		Snoqualmie National Forest....	74.19
Do.	do.		Cascade National Forest....	44.62
Do.	do.		do.	66.33
Do.	do.		Snoqualmie National Forest....	34.91
Do.	Automobile		Angeles National Forest....	417.00
Do.	do.		California National Forest....	582.61
Do.	do.		Jornada Range Reserve....	36.77
Do.	Motor wheel		Colville National Forest....	30.00
Do.	Motor boat		Pend Oreille National Forest	1.00
Do.	do.		do.	20.00
Do.	do.		Kaniksi National Forest....	76.30
Do.	do.		Missoula National Forest....	1.08
Do.	do.		Coeur d'Alene National Forest.	12.32
Do.	do.		Kaniksi National Forest....	18.20
Do.	do.		do.	14.00
Do.	do.		Minnesota National Forest....	52.45
Do.	do.		do.	6.40
Do.	do.		Tonto National Forest....	220.00
Do.	do.		Bridger National Forest....	7.93
Do.	do.		Chelan National Forest....	333.02
Do.	do.		Crater National Forest....	25.00
Do.	do.		Olympic National Forest....	52.89
Do.	do.		Siustaw National Forest....	41.00
Do.	do.		Wenatchee National Forest....	4.35
Do.	do.		Tongass National Forest....	12.31
Do.	do.		do.	8.94
Do.	do.		do.	3,471.43
Do.	do.		do.	3,069.72
Do.	do.		do.	623.06
Do.	do.		do.	762.08
Do.	do.		do.	5,354.80
Do.	do.		Chugach National Forest....	10.00
Do.	do.		do.	30.10
Do.	do.		do.	75.50
Do.	do.		do.	121.15

6 VEHICLES MAINTAINED BY DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE.

Cost of maintenance, operation, and repair of all motor-propelled and horse-drawn passenger-carrying vehicles and motor boats owned by the Department of Agriculture and operated outside the city of Washington during the fiscal year 1918—Continued.

Bureau.	Motor-propelled vehicle or boat.	Horse-drawn vehicle.	Location.	Cost of maintenance, operation, and repair.
Forest service.....	Motor boat.....		Tongass National Forest...	\$178.08
Do.....	do.....		do.....	1,164.34
Do.....	do.....		Siuslaw National Forest.....	173.93
Do.....	do.....		do.....	169.00
Do.....	do.....		Florida National Forest.....	123.13
Total.....				19,689.22

SUMMARY.

Bureau.	Cost of maintenance, operation, and repair.
Chemistry.....	\$295.05
Entomology.....	6,944.22
Office of Farm Management.....	72.75
Biological Survey.....	367.41
Weather Bureau.....	48.94
States Relations Service.....	1,192.51
Federal Horticultural Board.....	113.05
Markets.....	551.84
Office of Public Roads and Rural Engineering.....	1,893.77
Animal Industry.....	16,919.23
Plant Industry.....	4,914.54
Forest Service.....	19,689.22
Total.....	53,002.53

